# AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.114 and 1.121 GROUP 1641 PATENT APPLICATION

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is fully responsive to the Office Action of July 6, 2006.

It is not believed that any additional extensions of time are necessary beyond what is being submitted with this communication. If any additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, however, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required, including fees for net addition of claims, are hereby authorized to be charged to account number 19-4880.

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